UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA MACON DIVISION

IN RE:	CHAPTER II
TERI G. GALARDI,	CASE NO. 22-50035-JPS
Debtor.)	
JACK E. GALARDI, JR. AND EMELITA P. SY, as the TRUSTEE of the) JACK E. GALARDI, JR. SUB-TRUST,	
Plaintiffs,	Adversary Proceeding No. 22-05008
v.)	
TERI G. GALARDI,	
Defendant.	

TERI GALARDI'S BRIEF IN REPLY TO PLAINTIFFS' RESPONSE TO DEFENDANT'S RENEWED MOTION TO DISMISS OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION FOR COURT TO ABSTAIN

Plaintiffs Response to Defendant's Renewed Motion to Dismiss or in the Alternative Motion for Court to Abstain [Docket No. 40] (the "Response") asserts that the debts listed in Teri's petition for the Note and the assumed mortgage obligations do not arise out of her alleged breach of fiduciary duty. Response at 2. But there are no facts that support that Teri, as Trustee or individually, committed a fraud or incurred such debts with any willful and malicious intent. Complaint passim. All the allegations relate to her alleged breach of fiduciary duties to Jack Jr; that is the Plaintiffs complain how the JEG Family Trust assets were distributed in 2014, and because of that such claims are time barred pursuant to Nevada law.

Plaintiffs also relate facts in their Response that Jack Jr was not equal to Teri and that there was an imbalance of power. Response at 3-4. Teri is and remains Jack Jr.'s sister and notwithstanding counsel's claims in the Response, she acted according to the JEG Family Trust and in the best interest of Jack Jr. The question in this case, if counsel for Jack Jr. believes or knows that Jack Jr. has any mental deficiency, then in whose best interest is his counsel acting in pursuing these claims? As noted in prior briefs, Plaintiffs' counsel in this case is not Jack Jr.'s first counsel.

Teri disputes that Jack Jr made any claims of breach of fiduciary duty in the Nevada Probate proceeding prior to the January 12, 2021 Petition for Recovery of Assets from Teri Galardi, Co-Beneficiary of the JEG Trust. Teri's response filed in March 2021 raised the statute of limitations defense. Teri has not waived the defense.

Teri stands by her prior briefs, arguments and citations to authority filed in this matter.

I. CONCLUSION

WHEREFORE, for all the forgoing reasons, Defendant respectfully requests that the Court dismiss the Complaint or, in the alternative, abstain from adjudication.

Respectfully submitted,

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